

District of Columbia - Ward 3 Selected Social Characteristics
Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	36,040	601	36,040	(X)
Family households (families)	14,498	494	40.2%	1.4
With own children under 18 years	5,499	356	15.3%	0.9
Married-couple family	12,643	466	35.1%	1.3
With own children under 18 years	4,566	306	12.7%	0.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	499	155	1.4%	0.4
With own children under 18 years	250	92	0.7%	0.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,356	203	3.8%	0.6
With own children under 18 years	683	164	1.9%	0.4
Nonfamily households	21,542	669	59.8%	1.4
Householder living alone	18,181	692	50.4%	1.5
65 years and over	4,288	370	11.9%	1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	5,554	354	15.4%	0.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	8,359	390	23.2%	1.1
Average household size	1.95	0.03	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.9	0.06	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	70,432	1,534	70,432	(X)
Householder	36,040	601	51.2%	0.9
Spouse	12,546	512	17.8%	0.7
Child	13,890	809	19.7%	0.9
Other relatives	1,079	302	1.5%	0.4
Nonrelatives	6,877	809	9.8%	1.1
Unmarried partner	1,691	234	2.4%	0.3
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	28,642	1,027	28,642	(X)
Never married	12,485	1,044	43.6%	2.5
Now married, except separated	13,588	547	47.4%	2.6
Separated	422	182	1.5%	0.6
Widowed	543	188	1.9%	0.6
Divorced	1,604	316	5.6%	1.1
Females 15 years and over	37,004	1,118	37,004	(X)
Never married	16,986	1,000	45.9%	1.9
Now married, except separated	13,080	541	35.3%	1.7
Separated	502	187	1.4%	0.5
Widowed	2,864	354	7.7%	0.9
Divorced	3,572	389	9.7%	1
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	889	197	889	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	103	72	11.6%	7.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	7	5	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	40	9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	14	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	38	13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	56	17	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	177	70	177	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	56	49	31.6%	24.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	32	37	18.1%	21.5
1 or 2 years	0	132	0.0%	20.1
3 or 4 years	24	36	13.6%	18.6

5 or more years	0	132	0.0%	20.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	56	49	56	(X)
Who are female	25	29	44.6%	35.5
Who are married	41	42	73.2%	43
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	20,080	1,205	20,080	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	1,537	264	7.7%	1.3
Kindergarten	833	228	4.1%	1.1
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	5,182	478	25.8%	2.5
High school (grades 9-12)	1,848	306	9.2%	1.4
College or graduate school	10,680	1,065	53.2%	3.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	54,630	1,293	54,630	(X)
Less than 9th grade	820	214	1.5%	0.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,179	426	2.2%	0.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,869	538	5.3%	0.9
Some college, no degree	3,972	430	7.3%	0.8
Associate's degree	841	181	1.5%	0.3
Bachelor's degree	16,065	744	29.4%	1.3
Graduate or professional degree	28,884	968	52.9%	1.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	96.3%	0.8	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	82.3%	1.4	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	63,956	1,686	63,956	(X)
Civilian veterans	4,133	402	6.5%	0.6
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	75,708	1,979	75,708	(X)
Same house	60,835	1,617	80.4%	1.5
Different house in the U.S.	13,183	1,116	17.4%	1.3
Same county	5,134	689	6.8%	0.9
Different county	8,049	850	10.6%	1
Same state	0	132	0.0%	0.1
Different state	8,049	850	10.6%	1
Abroad	1,690	483	2.2%	0.6
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	76,698	1,988	76,698	(X)
Native	63,441	1,764	82.7%	1.3
Born in United States	61,505	1,779	80.2%	1.3
State of residence	14,589	804	19.0%	1
Different state	46,916	1,634	61.2%	1.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	1,936	331	2.5%	0.4
Foreign born	13,257	1,089	17.3%	1.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	13,257	1,089	13,257	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	5,121	471	38.6%	3.4

Not a U.S. citizen	8,136	938	61.4%	3.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	15,193	1,132	15,193	(X)
Native	1,936	331	1,936	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	154	99	8.0%	5.1
Entered before 2000	1,782	336	92.0%	5.1
Foreign born	13,257	1,089	13,257	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	4,178	678	31.5%	3.7
Entered before 2000	9,079	760	68.5%	3.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	13,257	1,089	13,257	(X)
Europe	4,673	604	35.2%	3.7
Asia	3,806	565	28.7%	3.3
Africa	709	264	5.3%	2
Oceania	190	109	1.4%	0.8
Latin America	3,320	574	25.0%	3.9
Northern America	559	186	4.2%	1.4
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	72,163	1,923	72,163	(X)
English only	57,562	1,909	79.8%	1.5
Language other than English	14,601	1,174	20.2%	1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	2,983	542	4.1%	0.7
Spanish	5,221	720	7.2%	1
Speak English less than "very well"	1,268	334	1.8%	0.5
Other Indo-European languages	6,922	795	9.6%	1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	1,199	375	1.7%	0.5
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	1,869	367	2.6%	0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	475	170	0.7%	0.2
Other languages	589	229	0.8%	0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	41	40	0.1%	0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	76,698	1,988	76,698	(X)
American	2,091	461	2.7%	0.6
Arab	925	333	1.2%	0.4
Czech	375	128	0.5%	0.2
Danish	468	196	0.6%	0.3
Dutch	965	241	1.3%	0.3
English	10,058	821	13.1%	1
French (except Basque)	2,997	509	3.9%	0.7
French Canadian	417	127	0.5%	0.2
German	11,117	980	14.5%	1.3
Greek	657	225	0.9%	0.3
Hungarian	673	167	0.9%	0.2
Irish	11,585	839	15.1%	1.1
Italian	5,541	678	7.2%	0.9
Lithuanian	523	164	0.7%	0.2
Norwegian	1,094	249	1.4%	0.3
Polish	3,731	434	4.9%	0.6
Portuguese	426	169	0.6%	0.2
Russian	3,779	507	4.9%	0.7
Scotch-Irish	1,900	344	2.5%	0.4
Scottish	2,331	323	3.0%	0.4
Slovak	341	135	0.4%	0.2
Subsaharan African	758	312	1.0%	0.4
Swedish	1,077	258	1.4%	0.3
Swiss	480	153	0.6%	0.2
Ukrainian	696	193	0.9%	0.2
Welsh	829	186	1.1%	0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	456	190	0.6%	0.2

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

·Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

·The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008-2009 disability data and disability data collected in prior years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 5 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once five consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior years' disability questions, see Review of Changes to the Measurement of Disability in the 2008 ACS.

·Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

·While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

·Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols: